

ORDINANCES ARE PASSED

By Council At Special Meeting Thursday Night

Which Assures A Sewage Treatment Plant

For Mt. Vernon Within A Very Few Months

Bonds Amounting To \$16,000 Are To Be Sold

And Work Started About First Of The Year

A special meeting of the city council was held Thursday evening for the purpose of passing necessary legislation to assure the construction of the sewage treatment plant in Mt. Vernon.

All members were present and President Dever was in the chair. The call for the special meeting was read by Clerk Wootton.

An ordinance was introduced authorizing the director of public service to enter into a contract for the purchase of two strips of land for the use of the sewage treatment plant. The land in question is located in Clinton township. The first tract contains one and two-tenths acres and is owned by J. Feeney. The service director is authorized to pay \$420 for this tract. The second tract is owned by Wilmot Sperry. The director is authorized to pay \$50 for this tract. Upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance was given the second and third reading and was passed, all voting aye.

An ordinance was introduced authorizing the issuance of bonds in the sum of \$16,000 for the construction of a sewage treatment plant in Mt. Vernon. Upon motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance was given its second and third reading and was passed all voting aye.

Council then adjourned. The above legislation Thursday evening means the construction of the sewage treatment plant in Mt. Vernon at an early date. Just as soon as the bonds are sold the work will be proceeded with. It is the expectation to commence work on the plant about the first of the year.

TINKEY

Address The Sealers In Session In Columbus

Speaks On Testing Wagon And Platform Scales

Columbus, O., Nov. 21—All dry commodities will be sold by weight and numerical count, thus doing away with bushel measures; regulation of the type of weighing and measuring instruments manufactured and sold will be under the supervision of the national bureau of standards and county and city sealers will be paid fair and reasonable salaries, if resolutions adopted yesterday at the final session of the fourth annual convention of the state, county and city sealers are followed. It is probable they will be incorporated into bills at the next regular session of the legislature.

J. C. Connors, former city sealer of Cambridge, Mass., answered many questions. He spoke on "Specifications, Tolerances and Methods of Testing."

Other talks were made by Banner Brooks, representing a scale company, on "Testing Wagon and Platform Scales," and J. C. Tinkey, deputy county sealer of Knox County, who spoke especially to the new deputy county sealers of the work they are expected to do.

Officers elected are: Fred C. Albrecht of Columbus, succeeding S. E. Strode, as president; W. E. Fingerhuth of Tiffin, vice president; Lewis M. Ort of Columbus, secretary, and William H. Barr of Columbia County, treasurer.

GALLOWAY

Given A Stiff Sentence By Richland Co. Justice

Frank Galloway was arrested at Mt. Vernon today by Constable Foley on a warrant sworn out by Mrs. Galloway, charging the non-support of his minor children. Galloway was given a hearing this afternoon before Justice Schaeffer and pleaded guilty. He was sentenced to serve 90 days in the workhouse in addition to working out a fine of \$25 and costs. His family will get 50 cents a day while he is in the workhouse. If Galloway can furnish a bond for the support of the children, the sentence will be suspended.—Mansfield News.

KNOX CO.

May Get One Of The Main Market Roads

Plans Prepared By State Highway Commissioner

State Highway Commissioner James Marker has given out a statement in reference to the tentative plans for the proposed main market and inter-county highways of Ohio, accompanied by a map. One of the roads in view extends from Cleveland to Cincinnati, passing through Medina, Wooster, Mt. Vernon, Columbus and Washington C. H. Before assistance from the state will be forthcoming for the construction of one of these roads, a county desiring to avail itself of state aid, must by a tax levy raise an amount equal to that which will be appropriated out of the state funds for the purpose. In other words, if Knox county is to secure \$30,000 of state funds, it must impose a levy that will raise \$30,000 on the taxable property of the county.

DOG

Defied Several Policemen, Cold Water And A Rope

At least one South Main street business establishment was well protected from burglars Thursday night. A large bulldog was the guard and it did its duty well. Cold water, a rope and several policemen could not remove the animal from its position and it stayed on duty until opening time Friday morning.

It had been customary to lock the dog inside the store and let it do guard duty on the inside. It was forgotten at closing time Thursday evening, however, and was locked out. Undaunted, the dog took up a position at the front door and questioned the passage of every pedestrian on the side walk. In an effort to remove the animal, the police secured a bucket of cold water and threw it upon it. This did not work and then they secured a rope and made an attempt to tie the dog up. This also proved to be rather dangerous work and so the effort was abandoned and the four footed guard reigned until morning when the store was opened. Although the animal is said to have snapped at several people, no one was bitten.

DEATHS

Thomas Banning
Thomas Banning of Calhoun street died at the Mt. Vernon hospital Friday morning at 4 o'clock after an illness of only about two weeks' duration. His death was caused by pneumonia. He was 72 years of age and is survived by one sister. The funeral at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Brown on North Mulberry street Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. J. A. Long officiating. Interment in Mount View cemetery.

SOCIETY NOTES

Entertained
Embroidery Club
The Owaissa Embroidery club met at the home of Miss Faye Davis, East Sugar street, Thursday evening. The evening was most enjoyable spent and refreshments were served.

HEARING IN JUVENILE

Court Of Virgil Alexander On A Forgery Charge

To Occur Before Judge Wilkins On Saturday

The Franklin Will Has Been Filed In Probate

A Suit For Money Is Filed In Common Pleas

Other Items Of Interest From Court House

The hearing of Virgil Alexander, charged with forgery, will take place in juvenile court before Judge Wilkins on Saturday. Alexander was first bound over to the grand jury on the charge, but it developed that he was just a little over 16 years of age, consequently the case must come up in juvenile court. A number of witnesses will testify in the case.

The Franklin Will

The last will and testament of Ellen Franklin, late of Mt. Vernon, has been filed in probate. By the terms of the will the testatrix gives to her husband, John Franklin, all her estate, both real and personal. After the death of the husband certain personal property is given to her granddaughter, Regina Franklin. The rest and residue of the estate is divided equally among the testatrix's daughter, Mary Ellen Hill and her son, John Franklin, and the heirs of her deceased sons, Albert Franklin and Tobias Franklin. Mary Ellen Hill is named as executrix of the will which was signed October 7, 1912, in the presence of Rollin R. McIntire and Laura S. McIntire.

Common Pleas Court

In the court of common pleas the case of The Kelsor-Dowds Co., is still occupying the attention of the court and the jury.

The following matters were disposed of by Judge Fulton on Thursday:

Evatt vs. Ames—Leave to plead in thirty days.
Michelin Tire Co. vs. Sanderson—Leave to answer in thirty days.
Ewers vs. Hosack—Leave to answer in thirty days.
Groves vs. Blair—Leave to plead in thirty days.
Ringwalt Co. vs. Semple—Continued.
Young vs. White et al.—Submitted.

Distributive Account

A first, final and distributive account has been filed in probate by A. D. Rinehart, administrator of Levi Shaffer, which shows the following: Amount for distribution \$239.96.

Action for Money

The Adolph Kempner Company has commenced a suit in the court of common pleas of Knox county against Levering Brothers. The plaintiff sues for \$1,800 with interest. The action is based on promissory notes. The attorney for the plaintiff is Lewis B. Hotick.

First Partial

L. A. Baker, guardian of John Daniels, has filed a first partial account in probate showing the following: Received \$366.66, paid out 12 cents, balance \$366.54.

Inventory and Appraisement

In the matter of the assignment of Susan Robinson, an inventory and appraisement has been filed, showing the following: Real estate \$7,000.

Deeds Filed

Jennie A. Grubb to Wm. C. Rockwell, lot in Elmwood place \$1.
Clarence C. Crider of Wm. C. Rockwell, lot in city \$1.
Charles G. Atherton to Elizabeth Atherton, lot in city, \$1.
Harriet Weaver to Mrs. Jennie Fleming, 73.2 acres in Milford, \$4,000.

SHORT LOCALS

Mr. Leon Zeisloff made a business trip to Orrville Friday morning. Dr. F. L. Singrey went to North Liberty Friday morning on business. Mrs. J. P. Breton and son went to Gambier Friday morning to spend the day with relatives.

Mr. George Israel has returned from a business trip to New York City.

Mrs. Charles Blackburn left for her home in Indianapolis, Indiana, Friday, after a visit with Mr. Vernon relatives.

Miss Hazel Seavolt of North Sandusky street, who has been threatened with pneumonia, is convalescent.

Mrs. Silas McManis, who has been very ill for three weeks past, is some better.

Mr. Fred Douneaux of this city left this morning for Clarksburg, West Virginia.

Mrs. D. H. McKinney and children of Doylestown are the guests of Mrs. McKinney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Merrin of 602 North Gay street.

Mrs. Clarence Grubb and Mrs. Fred Barton of Bellville spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Winchester Faust of this city.

The Union Thanksgiving services will be held in the Presbyterian church on the evening of November 27 at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. E. C. Wingenback and son, Eastman, have returned to Cleveland after a week's visit with Mrs. Clem Purdy.

Mrs. Iva Sproule Baker left last night for Jacksonville and other points in Florida to visit for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Miller of North Main street went to Delaware, Ohio, Friday morning to visit with relatives.

Miss Faith Frazee has returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Miller, at Mt. Vernon.—Delaware Gazette.

Mr. J. T. Osburn of Shreve, Ohio, who has been a patient at the Mt. Vernon Medical and Surgical Sanatorium for some time, returned to his home Friday.

Mrs. W. E. Bridwell, who has been taking treatment at the Mt. Vernon Medical and Surgical Sanatorium, returned to her home in Academia Friday.

Mrs. Robert Clarke and Mrs. William H. Clarke, North Main street, will leave Saturday afternoon for Pittsburgh, Pa., where they expect to reside. Mr. William H. Clarke has been engaged in business in Pittsburgh for the past two months.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hammond of Millwood were visitors in Mt. Vernon Saturday.

A special meeting of Mt. Vernon lodge No. 140, B. P. O. Elks was held Thursday at which time five were received into the order. Following the initiation a banquet was served and a very pleasant evening was spent by the members.

F. Lease of Mt. Vernon, has purchased the Main street barber shop in the Lorenz building for a number of years operated by T. G. Robson, and took charge of the business Thursday. Mr. Robson will spend several days hunting and then will take a position at the Beach plant.—Coshocton Tribune.

Dr. Belle J. Allen of Paroda, India, is spending a few days with her brother, Banner M. Allen, and his family on East High street. September 8th of this year marked the twenty-fifth anniversary of Dr. Allen's work in the mission fields of the far East under the auspices of the W. F. M. S. of the Methodist Episcopal church. The past seven of which she has spent in the construction of, and physician in charge, of The Mrs. Wm. Butler Memorial Hospital at Baroda, India.



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RATES OF TAXATION FOR 1913

In pursuance of Law, I, Lloyd M. Bell, Treasurer of Knox County, Ohio, do hereby give notice that the number of mills levied on each dollar of property listed for taxation within said county for the tax year 1913, is as follows: For State, \$3.10. County, 2.72. For local purposes see table.

TAXING DISTRICT	State	County	School	Corporation	Township	Total
1 Berlin	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
2 Brown	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
3 Brown-Amity District	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
4 Brown-Jelloway District	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
5 Butler	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
6 Butler-Millwood District	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
7 Clinton	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
8 College	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
9 College-Gambier Corporation	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
10 Clay	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
11 Clay, Bladensburg Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
12 Clay, Martinsburg Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
13 Clay, Martinsburg Corp.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
14 Clay, Harpeth Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
15 Howard	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
16 Howard, Howard Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
17 Howard, Amity Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
18 Howard, Millwood Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
19 Harrison	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
20 Harrison, Millwood Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
21 Hilliar, Centerburg Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
22 Hilliar, Bannington Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
23 Hilliar, Millford Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
24 Hilliar, Centerburg Corp.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
25 Jefferson	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
26 Jefferson, Gann Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
27 Jackson	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
28 Jackson, Bladensburg Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
29 Jackson, Fallburg Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
30 Liberty	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
31 Milford	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
32 Milford, Bannington Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
33 Middlebury	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
34 Monroe	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
35 Monroe, Amity Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
36 Morris	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
37 Morris, Fredericktown Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
38 Morris, Fredericktown Corp.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
39 Morgan	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
40 Morgan, Union Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
41 Pike	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
42 Pike, Amity Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
43 Pleasant	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
44 Union	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
45 Union, Danville Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
46 Union, Gann Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
47 Union, Millwood Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
48 Union, Danville Corp.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
49 Union, Buckeye City Corp.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
50 Wayne	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
51 Wayne, Fredericktown Dist.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
52 Wayne, Fredericktown Corp.	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
53 Mt. Vernon City	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08
54 Mt. Vernon, Pleasant Township	3.10	2.72	.76	2.00	4.50	13.08

*The school levy given opposite each township applies to all the property of the township school district including the attached territory, formerly joint sub-district, of other civil townships.

LLOYD M. BELL,

Treasurer, Knox County, Ohio

Mt. Vernon, O., October 15, 1913.

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Prof. H. S. Moffitt of Mingo, O., and his sister, Miss Lulu, who is attending college at Athens, O., will be home to spend Thanksgiving with their parents.

The Misses Helen Davis and Gladys Garber have gone to Oxford where they will remain for several days the guests of Miss Cordelia Garber at Miami University.

Misses Beatrice McDonough and Elizabeth Kelley went to Columbus Saturday morning to visit friends for

a few days and witness "Peg o' My Heart" at the Southern Theatre.

Miss Maude McDade, a nurse at the Mt. Vernon hospital, was called to her home in Verona, Pa., Saturday morning by the serious illness of her brother, Mr. Murray McDade.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Burris, Mr. Leonard Burris, Mr. Cheyney Burris, Mrs. Walter Sapp, Mrs. R. B. Armstrong and Mrs. H. W. Koons went to Danville Saturday morning to attend the funeral of the late Nelson Burris.

Mrs. B. E. Williams is visiting Mrs. Hoover in Columbus for a few days. Mrs. William Trick has returned home after a visit with relatives in Dayton, O.

Miss Marie Gilbert of Centerburg is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Bell, East Hamtramck street.

Mrs. J. A. Moffitt, who has been quite ill with neuritis, pleurisy and congestion of the liver, is slowly improving.